AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph at page 3, lines 6-13, with the amended version set forth below.

(2) In Figures [[42]] 43 and 44, if the measurement distance L which is a displacement measurement range is short, and the sensor head unit **a** and the measurement object **d** are close to each other, because the sensor head unit **a** closely covers the measurement position from above, the field of view of the operator is obstructed by the sensor head unit **a**, and the operator experiences a difficulty in viewing the radiated light image of the measurement light, and is unable to properly carry out the work of achieving a registration between the measurement position and the radiated position of measurement light.

Please amend page 79, line 1, as follows:

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